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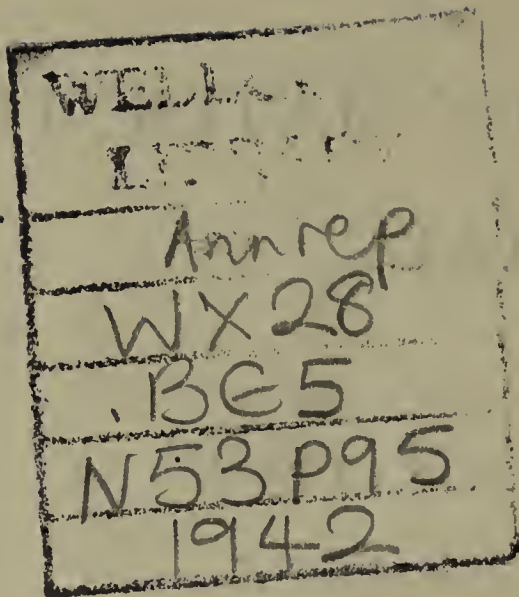
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COPY OF RULE 9.

Committee
of
Management.

9.—There shall be a Committee of Management, which shall consist of the President, Vice-Presidents, the Honorary Consulting Medical Officers, the Honorary Obstetric Physicians, the Honorary Chaplain, the Honorary Treasurer, the Honorary Secretary, two Representatives of King's College, Newcastle upon Tyne, of whom the Dean of Medicine (for the time being) shall be one, four representatives of the Corporation of Newcastle upon Tyne (elected by and out of the Maternity and Child Welfare Committee of the said Corporation), two representatives of the Gateshead Borough Council, two representatives of the Northumberland County Council, two representatives of the Durham County Council, and 18 Governors, of whom not more than twelve shall be ladies (and shall constitute the Ladies' Committee as hereinafter mentioned), and one member representing the Workmen's Medical Charities Funds which contribute to the Hospital. Five shall form a quorum.

OFFICERS, 1943

President.

THE DOWAGER VISCOUNTESS ALLENDALE.

Vice-Presidents.

THE RIGHT HON. THE LORD MAYOR OF NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE.
 Mrs. A. E. BURDON.
 THE VISCOUNTESS RIDLEY.
 J. A. HOUSTON.

Elective Members of Committee of Management.

Mrs. C. B. FENWICK.	Mrs. RENWICK.	R. BURNS DICK.
Mrs. NORBERT MERZ.	LADY RIDLEY.	J. W. PARRISH.
Mrs. E. R. MICKLEM.	Mrs. M. H. WEBSTER,	G. P. TAYLOR.
Mrs. A. E. MORGAN.	O.B.E.	T. D. YOUNG.

Representatives of King's College.

Professor R. B. GREEN, M.A., M.B., B.S., F.R.C.S.
 LADY EUSTACE PERCY.

Representatives of Newcastle Corporation.

Coun. Mrs. E. F. DAVISON.	Ald. WALTER THOMPSON.
Mrs. A. K. HIGGINBOTTAM.	Coun. J. PEARSON, J.P.

Representatives of the Borough of Gateshead.

Coun. Mrs. A. R. HEPPELL.	Coun. Mrs. L. BONE.
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Representative of Workmen's Medical Charities.

T. B. NEWTON.

Representative of Willington Quay Maternity Hospital.

LADY APPLEBY.

Trustees.

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Hon. Secretary.

R. P. RANKEN LYLE, M.D.

Hon. Treasurer.

E. P. SHIELD.

Resident Medical Officer.

CONSTANCE GREY, M.B., B.S.

Assistant Resident Medical Officer.

HELEN GUNN, M.B., B.S.

Chaplain.

Rev. E. MITCHELL.

Patients' Welfare Officer.

Mrs. RENWICK.

Matron.

Miss E. TANNAHILL.

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HONORARY MEDICAL OFFICERS, 1943

Hon. Consulting Obstetrician.

R. P. RANKEN LYLE, M.D., F.R.C.O.G.

Hon. Obstetric Physicians.

E. FARQUHAR MURRAY, M.D., F.R.C.S., F.R.C.O.G.

H. HARVEY EVERS, M.S., F.R.C.S., F.R.C.O.G.

Hon. Assistant Obstetric Physicians.

F. E. STABLER, M.D.,
F.R.C.S., M.R.C.O.G.
(On Active Service).

W. HUNTER, M.D., B.S.,
M.R.C.O.G.

Hon. Physician in Preventive Medicine.

J. A. CHARLES, M.B., B.S., F.R.C.P., D.Ph.

Hon. Physician.

F. J. NATTRASS, M.D., B.S., F.R.C.P.

Hon. Surgeon.

WELDON P. T. WATTS, M.B., B.S., F.R.C.S.

Hon. Ophthalmic Surgeon.

J. D. WARDALE, M.A., M.B.

Hon. Bacteriologist.

E. McMURCHIE DUNLOP, M.C., M.A., M.D.

Hon. Pathologist.

Hon. Pediatrician.

J. C. SPENCE, M.D., B.S., F.R.C.P.

Hon. Consulting Dental Surgeon.

R. V. BRADLAW, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., L.Dc.

Hon. Dental Surgeon.

A. I. DARLING, M.D.S.

Hon. Maternity and Child Welfare Physician.

F. J. W. MILLER, M.B., M.R.C.P., D.C.H. (On Active Service).

Hon. Obstetric Registrar.

F. E. STABLER, M.D., F.R.C.S., M.R.C.O.G. (On Active Service).

Junior Gynaecological and Obstetrical Registrar.

STANLEY WAY, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

ANNUAL REPORT, 1942.

The Committee of Management present to the Governors of the Hospital the report of the work done during the year ended the 31st December, 1942.

Patients
Treated.

The number of In-Patients treated during the year was 2,364, an increase of 51 compared with 1941. Out-Patients treated in their own homes numbered 270, a decrease of 11 on the figures for the previous year.

The total attendances at the Pre-Maternity Clinic were 6,187, an increase of 1,093 and the total attendances at the Post Natal Clinic numbered 725.

1,564 babies were born during the year, an increase of 111 over the number for 1941.

Finance.

The Total Ordinary Income for the year amounted to £12,786 : 15 : 9, an increase of £1,891 : 10 : 7 and the Total Ordinary Expenditure was £13,277 : 0 : 6, an increase of £934 : 17 : 8 compared with the figures for 1941.

The excess of Ordinary Expenditure over Ordinary Income amounted to £490 : 4 : 9. War Expenditure during 1942 amounted to £936 : 3 : 8 making a total deficit on the year of £1,426 : 8 : 5.

The Bank overdraft at the 31st December was £5,144 : 6 : 5 and outstanding accounts amounted to £992 : 14 : 3.

Sir Thomas
Oliver.

It is with deep regret that your Committee announce the death last May of Sir Thomas Oliver. Sir Thomas had been connected with the Hospital for over fifty years and for a great number of those years he had been Chairman of the Committee of Management.

Lord Eustace
Percy.

On the invitation of the Committee of Management, Lord Eustace Percy consented to become Chairman in the place of Sir Thomas Oliver.

National
Fire
Services.

Mention was made in the last Annual Report that negotiations were being carried on regarding letting part of the Jubilee Road premises to the National Fire Services. Agreement was reached early in the year and the National Fire Services took possession of the premises in March, the annual payment being £160.

Mrs. J. T.
Thompson.

Your Committee announce with much regret the death early in the year of Mrs. J. T. Thompson. Mrs. Thompson had been a Member of the Committee since 1934 and was always a most generous supporter of the Hospital. Her loss will be greatly felt by all who knew her.

State Grant
towards
increased
Nursing
Salaries.

Application was made to the British Hospitals Association for State Grant towards increased Nursing salaries. Three grants amounting to a total of £87 : 3 : 4 have been received so far for 1942.

Newcastle
Blood
Transfusion
Services.

Your Committee again gave a donation of ten guineas to the Newcastle Blood Transfusion Services.

Legacies.

A legacy of £150 was received from the estate of the late Mrs. Eliza Wight of Morpeth, and one of £500 from the estate of the late Mrs. E. A. Clark, who was a Life Governor of the Hospital. Both these legacies were paid to the Hospital Furnishing Account at the Bank.

Reduction
of
Overdraft

In March the Finance Committee found it necessary to recommend that the sum of £902 : 10 : 11 be transferred from the Hospital Furnishing Account to the General Account at the Bank in order that the increasing overdraft might be reduced.

This amount represents the balance of previous transfers of General Fund Surpluses for past years.

Post-War
Planning
of
Hospitals.

On the request of the Chairman of the Royal Victoria Infirmary, Dr. Ranken Lyle, Prof. Farquhar Murray and Mr. Harvey Evers were appointed Representatives of your Hospital to meet other Hospital Representatives and to consider the question of Post-War Planning for Hospitals.

Resignations.

The resignation of Lady Summers Hunter from the Committee was accepted with much regret. The resignation from the Committee of Dr. Mason Bolam was accepted while he is on active service.

Appoint-
ments.

Mr. J. A. Houston, formerly Chairman of the Finance Committee, was appointed a Vice-President of the Hospital. The Rev. E. Mitchell was appointed Honorary Chaplain to the Hospital and Mr. T. D. Young was appointed a Member of the Finance Committee.

Prof. Farquhar Murray was appointed Representative of the Hospital on the Newcastle Hospitals Joint Advisory Board.

Resident
Medical
Officer.

On the recommendation of the Medical Staff your Committee agreed to the appointment of a permanent Resident Medical Officer. Dr. Constance Grey was appointed to this post in December. The appointment is tenable for

one year in the first instance and renewable annually for a maximum period of three years.

Volunteer
Car Pools.

Application was made to certain of the Local Volunteer Car Pools for use of a car for the Hospital in case of emergency. The applications made have been granted and your Committee thank the Pools in question very much indeed.

Students
and
Nurses.

41 Nurses and 74 Students received training during the year and the following Nurses were awarded prizes under the Heath Bequest, Nurses D. McGeorge, M. L. Jackson, D. Newman, W. I. Stevenson, H. Mullaney, and A. Lennon.

Training of
Students.

King's College informed your Committee in November that it had been decided that one week of the four weeks residence of Students should be spent at the Newcastle General Hospital.

Civic Visit.

A visit was paid to the Hospital on Christmas morning by the Lord Mayor, the Lady Mayoress, the Sheriff and Lady Sheriff, a tour of the wards was made and their visit was much appreciated by all.

Over-
crowding of
Wards.

Overcrowding of the wards caused considerable anxiety throughout the year. Meetings were held with representatives of the Ministry of Health and Newcastle Maternity and Child Welfare Committee and it became evident that the Hospital premises must be extended.

The Northern Counties Orphanage Committee were asked if they would be willing to extend the Hospitals' tenancy, to the rest of the Orphanage, but they were not prepared to do so. After protracted negotiations, agreement was reached at the end of the year, by which the Orphanage would allow your Hospital to rent certain rooms in the Boy's section. A new agreement has been concluded fixing the annual rent of the whole of the premises leased to the Hospital at £1,240 in place of the previous £1,100.

To make the new rooms suitable as a Maternity Hospital will require considerable alterations, plans have been drawn up and passed by your Committee and the cost of the alterations and new equipment is estimated to be about £3,000.

In order to accommodate the increased staff necessary for the future new wards, your Committee have rented furnished, No. 34 Eslington Terrace as a Sister's Home at a rent of three guineas a week.

Birthday
Reception.

The Annual Birthday Reception was held on the 25th November and the Ladies' Committee are to be congratulated on the result, £86 : 14 : 6 in money and goods received to the value of about £16. Your Committee express their grateful thanks to the Ladies' Committee for all they have done for the Hospital during the year.

Thanks

Grateful thanks are accorded to the Employees of Messrs. Vickers-Armstrongs Ltd. for again giving a special donation of £60.

Your Committee sincerely thank Mrs. P. Langford (Chairman) and all the members of the Sewing Guild for their continued work during the year. Special thanks are given to Mrs. Ruxton (Chairman) and Mrs. L. M. Weeks (Hon. Treasurer) of the Linen Guild for having collected the sum of £50 for the purchase of linen.

Your Committee also convey their warm appreciation to the Matron, Miss Tannahill, Miss Tweddle, Superintendent of the Sister's Home, Miss Barkman, Superintendent of the Nurses' Home, the Honorary Staff and the Nursing, Administrative and Domestic Staff.

Finally to all subscribers, donors and all, who have helped the Hospital during the year, your Committee give their grateful thanks and earnestly ask for the continuation of the support through the difficult times ahead.

On behalf of the Committee of Management

EUSTACE PERCY, *Chairman.*

R. P. RANKEN LYLE, M.D., *Hon. Sec.*

REPORT OF THE HONORARY OBSTETRIC PHYSICIANS

PRE-MATERNITY DEPARTMENT.

1,710 patients attended, an increase of 174 and the total attendances numbered 6,187, an increase of 1,093 over the figures for 1941.

IN-PATIENTS DEPARTMENT.

2,364 patients were admitted to Hospital, an increase of 51.

OUT-PATIENTS DEPARTMENT.

270 patients were attended in their own homes, a decrease of 11.

NUMBER OF BIRTHS.

There were 1,564 babies born during the year, an increase of 111.

Cæsarian Section was performed on 116 occasions.

E. FARQUHAR MURRAY, M.D., F.R.C.S.,
F.C.O.G.

H. HARVEY EVERS, F.R.C.S., F.C.O.G.

NUMBER OF PATIENTS ATTENDED BY THE HOSPITAL DURING THE PAST TEN YEARS.

YEAR.	IN-DOOR.	OUT-DOOR.	TOTAL.
1932	2394	726	3120
1933	2341	729	3070
1934	2492	758	3250
1935	2006	799	3405
1936	2468	742	3210
1937	2629	807	3436
1938	2775	672	3447
1939	2584	575	3159
1940	2162	465	2627
1941	2313	281	2594
1942	2364	270	2634

ANNUAL COURT OF GOVERNORS

26th MAY, 1943

The Annual Court of Governors of the Princess Mary Maternity Hospital was held at the Northern Counties Orphanage at 3.0 p.m. on Wednesday, the 26th May, 1943.

The Dowager Viscountess Allendale presided and there were also present Lord Eustace Percy, Dr. R. P. Ranken Lyle, Mrs. Ranken Lyle, The Rev. E. Mitchell, Mrs. Smith, Miss E. Smith, Miss M. M. Smith, Miss Tweddle, Councillor Mrs. A. R. Heppell, Miss Oliver, Prof. E. Farquhar Murray, Mr. Harvey Evers, Dr. W. Hunter, Sister Foster, Sister Smith, Sister Behrman, Sister Doberman, Miss Tannahill, Matron and Mr. R. S. Johnson, House Governor.

The notice convening the meeting was taken as read.

Regrets for not being present were recorded from Prof. Nattrass, Prof. Spence, Mrs. Ruxton, Prof. Bradlaw, Mrs. A. E. Morgan, Dr. Charles and Mrs. Webster.

The Minutes of the Court of Governors held on the 7th May, 1942, were taken as read and signed by the President.

The report of the Committee of Management for the year ended the 31st December, 1942 was read by the House Governor.

The report of the Honorary Obstetric Physicians and the audited accounts for 1942 were taken as read.

In moving the adoption of the reports and audited accounts the Dowager Viscountess Allendale said: "Before moving the adoption of the reports I should like to start my remarks by saying that since the last annual meeting the Hospital has suffered a great loss by the death of Sir Thomas Oliver. Sir Thomas had been connected with the Hospital for about fifty years, and as well as being Chairman of the Committee of Management he was an Honorary Consulting Physician and up to the commencement of the war regularly visited the Hospital in Jubilee Road.

"After his serious operation in 1940, Sir Thomas, though unable to take an active part in the working of the Hospital, made every endeavour to attend committee meetings, and I feel we have lost a friend, who had the welfare of the Hospital greatly at heart.

"We are grateful to Lord Eustace Percy for consenting to become Chairman of the Management Committee. In the difficult times ahead I feel sure the committee made a wise decision in asking Lord Eustace to become Chairman.

"You have heard in the report that the sum of £902 was transferred from the Furnishing Account to the General Account to reduce the overdraft. This had to be done and it speaks well for the past administration that there was such a fund, which could be drawn on in emergency.

"In spite of this and all possible care the overdraft at the end of the year had risen to over £5,000, and I would like to ask all interested in the Hospital to send something towards the appeal, which the Committee have found necessary to make.

"I must congratulate the Ladies' Committee on another successful Birthday Reception last November. Since the first reception in 1929 I understand the Ladies' Committee have raised money and goods to the value of about £1,500, which is very gratifying.

"I also would like to pay a warm tribute to the Matron and Nursing Staff of the Hospital for the efficient way in which they have managed its affairs during these difficult times, their work is greatly appreciated.

"Finally, I would like to stress the great need for new subscribers to the Hospital. Not many big money raising efforts are possible nowadays, and the Hospital has to rely on subscriptions as one of its main sources of income.

"It would be a satisfaction to hear at the next annual meeting that the subscription list has been greatly increased.

"I do not think there is anything more to say except to ask Lord Eustace Percy to second the adoption of the reports and audited accounts for 1942."

Lord Eustace Percy seconded the adoption of the reports and audited accounts, and said: "There are just one or two things I would like to say. In the first place you will see from the annual report that our number of cases during the year—in-patients—totalled 2,364, which is only slightly below what it was pre-war.

"That is not the assumption on which the Hospital entered its temporary premises after the outbreak of war. With the creation of Emergency Hospitals it was thought we would have to deal, in Newcastle, with a much smaller number of patients.

“It has become more and more difficult to obtain home help, and numbers have tended consistently and steadily to increase. The consequence has been overcrowding, of which the report speaks, and the whole staff have been working under appallingly difficult conditions, both medical staff and even more, I think, the nursing staff.

“We cannot express too warmly our thanks to the staff, especially to Matron and the nurses, for the work that they have done and the extraordinary success of their work.

“There are two figures which are not in the report which I may give you. One is that during the year 1942 deliveries in Hospital were only 200 less than what was I think the peak figure in 1937, and in the current year I think it should equal the pre-war figure of deliveries.

“In spite of this volume of work and overcrowding and the bad conditions with which we have to cope maternal mortality in 1942 has been the lowest ever recorded at the Hospital.

“While all of us feel rather inclined to be apologetic sometimes about the conditions in which the Princess Mary Maternity Hospital is carried on during the war I think we have the right to say, after all the thanks to the staff, we need not be apologetic in face of the last figure.

“Our appeal has hitherto, I think, taken the form of personal letters written to people, who, we hope will give permission for subscriptions, but I do think the time has come—if the Press will be kind enough to help—when we ought to explain publicly the full difficulty about the position.

“Before the war we were able to pay our way. Since the war, with the extra expenses of these emergency premises and the extra ward expenditure which has fallen upon us we have been working with an annual deficiency of £2,000 a year, with the result that we have an overdraft of over £5,000.

“Now we are, I think, going to get access to more accommodation on the other side of the Orphanage. That will mean very heavy expense in adaptation and in some cases reconstruction, and we do appeal to the public for the utmost help that they can possibly give us.

“I don't think it is wrong to say that the public, not only in Newcastle of course but in the counties of Northumberland and Durham do owe a great deal to this Hospital. Especially they owe a great deal to its staff in the way that they have carried on during the war and have met the emergency with the success they have met it.

"I do hope if only in recognition of the work of this staff that this Hospital which has never had a large income from private subscriptions, which has a much smaller income from private subscriptions than most voluntary hospitals, certainly much smaller than the great teaching hospitals, will in future be able to count on a large measure of assistance."

Mr. Harvey Evers, supporting, said: "I cannot, naturally, without being technical, amplify what Lord Eustace has said, but I can very strongly support his submission that the work of the Hospital, in spite of all difficulties, has kept up a remarkably high standard.

"The conditions under which the nursing staff particularly have had to work are far from ideal, but I feel very gratified that Lord Eustace has indicated that in spite of all that, the general public do owe a large debt of gratitude to the Hospital for stepping into the breach at a time when otherwise it could not be possibly be carried on by the Hospital.

"One hopes very sincerely on the more material side that we may be helped out of our present financial position."

In moving that after the words "Gateshead Borough Council" in Rule 9 the words "two representatives of the Northumberland County Council, two representatives of the Durham County Council" be inserted Lord Eustace Percy said that this was a proposal to invite Northumberland and Durham County Councils to appoint representatives on the Committee of Management as Newcastle and Gateshead already did. The number of patients from Durham County was the largest from any local area, he said, and the number from Northumberland was also very large. He thought, therefore, that we ought to have representatives from these local authorities as well as the two borough authorities who already sent representatives.

Dr. Ranken Lyle seconded the proposal, which was carried.

Councillor Mrs. Heppell proposed the re-election of the President, Vice-Presidents and the following Elective Members of the Committee of Management. This was seconded by Dr. Hunter and carried.

Lord Eustace Percy.
Mrs. C. B. Fenwick.
Mrs. Norbert Merz.
Mrs. E. R. Micklem.
Mrs. A. E. Morgan.
Mrs. Renwick.

The Viscountess Ridley.
Mrs. M. H. Webster, O.B.E.
R. Burns Dick.
J. W. Parrish.
G. P. Taylor.
T. D. Young.

In moving a vote of thanks to the President, the Rev. E. Mitchell said: "This is my first year at this general meeting, and I rise simply to thank you very much indeed on behalf of all the members of this institution for so splendidly coming here this afternoon, because I think we appreciate your difficulties, and our biggest regret is that we don't see you often enough.

"We know that is impossible, but it is nice to think that we have the name of Allendale and the name of Northumberland so closely associated with this Hospital.

"As I go my rounds of the wards I find a lot of people from Northumberland, and I think two very respected families in Northumberland are doing something for the people over the Border.

"We are deeply grateful to you for your presence this afternoon, and we hope you will be spared many years to come to preside over these meetings."

In seconding, Dr. Ranken Lyle, said: "I think it is extremely good of Lady Allendale to come to these meetings. Not only is there the difficulty of transport, but if I dare say so Her Ladyship is not so very young to be able to come and consequently we thank her very much indeed for coming here to-day."

Replying, Lady Allendale said she only hoped that she could visit the Hospital more often. She considered it a great honour to be President, although she thought that the position ought to be held by someone younger.

She looked upon herself as being more or less of a stop-gap, and that older people ought now to take the place of young people who were doing war work. If after the war they felt that they would like a younger President she would be only too willing to stand down.

She recalled that she had been associated with the Princess Mary Maternity Hospital for about forty years, and hoped that they would realise that it was rather difficult for her to come very often and not so often as she would like to do.

THE SEWING GUILD

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1942

President :

THE DOWAGER VISCOUNTESS ALLENDALE.

Vice-Presidents :

MRS. F. STABLER.

MRS. FARQUHAR MURRAY.

MRS. HARVEY EVERS.

Chairman :

MRS. R. S. WIGHT.

Hon. Treasurer :

DR. RANKEN LYLE.

Hon. Secretary :

MRS. KENNETH F. ANGUS.

Committee :

MRS. SCOTT BAIRD.

MRS. M. C. R. KAY.

MRS. HUGHES.

MRS. P. LANGFORD.

MRS. L. BAGNALL.

MRS. RANKEN LYLE.

THE MATRON.

MISS TWEDDLE.

MRS. SWEET.

In presenting the Annual Report for the year 1942 we regret to say that owing to continued war conditions, the work of the Guild is still considerably restricted and reduced, mainly due to the fact that we have no large hall in which to have all our machines in action, with an average attendance of 30 or 40 members as previously.

Under present conditions the work is given out on the first Tuesday of every month at Abbotsford Terrace, by the kindness of Miss Tweddle, when new members are heartily welcomed.

In addition, the Guild is most grateful to Mrs. Langford and her helpers for supplying more than 200 garments.

The financial position still remains sound, thanks mainly to a very successful "Bring-and-Buy" tea, which realised the handsome sum of £34 : 9 : 2.

We have also received a donation of £15 from Miss Potts, the result of a successful Matinee, and a donation of £5 from Mrs. Langley, which your Committee have thankfully acknowledged, also £2 : 5 : 8 from Mrs. Hall, the result of a Whist Drive.

The subscriptions this year are slightly larger, amounting to £21 : 6 : 0.

The balance at the Bank on the 30th November last, amounted to £65 ; 11 : 5, as against £68 : 3 : 1 for the previous year.

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT AS AT 30th NOVEMBER, 1942

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	PAYMENTS.	£	s.	d.
Balance at Bank—				WORK, MATERIALS—			
1st December, 1941 ...	68	3	1	Bainbridge & Co. Ltd.	12	19	9
Subscriptions ...	21	6	0	J. H. Smith & Sons ...	56	12	3
Donations ...	22	5	8	Hunters ...	5	10	0
“Bring-and-Buy” Tea ...	34	9	2	Parrishes Ltd. ...	6	17	6
Building Society Interest	4	1	0	P. Josephs Ltd.	0	12	0
					82	11	6
				Printing ...	0	6	0
				Advertising ...	0	8	0
				Sewing Women ...	1	8	0
				BALANCE at Bank—			
				30th November, 1942	65	11	5
	£150	4	11		£150	4	11

Audited and found correct.

JOHN W. KIRKWOOD,

25th March, 1943.

LINEN GUILD

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1942

Chairman—MRS. W. L. RUXTON.

Hon. Treasurer—MRS. L. M. WEEKS.

The continuation of the war has rendered any extension of the work impossible but the organisers hope to keep the Guild alive and that after the war more ambitious schemes for raising money may be managed.

During 1942 members of the Guild were written to and asked to send a donation to the funds, the organisers are glad to report that £50 : 9 : 7 was received. Sincere thanks are accorded to all, who sent money.

The organisers are very grateful to Mrs. C. G. Hall, Hon. Secretary of the Jesmond Branch of the Townswomen Guild for the sum of £1 : 12 : 7, the proceeds of a whist drive held on behalf of the Guild.

THE BIRTHDAY RECEPTION, 1942

25th NOVEMBER, 1942

The Ladies' Committee :

MRS. C. B. FENWICK, *Chairman*.

MRS. RENWICK, *Vice-Chairman*.

MRS. NORBERT MERZ.

LADY EUSTACE PERCY.

MRS. E. R. MICKLEM.

LADY RIDLEY.

MRS. A. E. MORGAN.

MRS. M. H. WEBSTER, O.B.E.

The Annual Birthday Reception was held at the Northern Counties Orphanage on Wednesday, the 25th November.

In spite of it being the third year of the war, the Ladies' Committee again had a very successful day and the sum of £86 : 14 : 6 was received in money and goods to the value of about £16. Owing to coupons nowadays being necessary for most things, it was expected that there would be a decrease in the value of the goods.

The Ladies' Committee greatly appreciate the result of the Reception and take this opportunity of thanking all most sincerely for the generous support.

LIST OF DISTRICTS FOR IN-PATIENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1942

DISTRICT.	No.	DISTRICT.	No.	DISTRICT.	No.
		<i>Brought forward</i>	510	<i>Brought forward</i>	1085
Alnwick ...	13	Chevington ...	7	Great Lumley ...	3
Amble ...	12	Chilton ...	1	Greenside ...	6
Annfield Plain ...	3	Choppington ...	14	Haltwhistle ...	1
Annitsford ...	7	Chopwell ...	4	Hamsterley ...	3
Ashington ...	114	Cockfield ...	1	Hartford ...	1
Backworth ...	3	Consett ...	9	Haswell Plough ...	4
Bamburgh ...	1	Cornhill ...	1	Haydon Bridge ...	1
Barnard Castle ...	3	Coundon ...	3	Hazelrigg ...	2
Beadnell ...	1	Cowpen ...	3	Hebburn ...	19
Beamish ...	4	Coxhoe ...	8	Heddon-on-the-Wall	1
Bearpark ...	1	Coxlodge ...	2	Heselton ...	1
Bedlington ...	49	Craghead ...	7	Hetton-le-Hole ...	13
Belford ...	1	Cramlington ...	17	Heworth ...	4
Bellingham ...	1	Crawcrook ...	5	Hexham ...	5
Belmont ...	1	Crook ...	30	High Spen ...	3
Benton ...	3	Crookhill ...	1	Holy Island ...	2
Berwick ...	3	Croxdale ...	3	Horden ...	7
Billingham ...	4	Cullercoats ...	2	Houghton-le-Spring	17
Bill Quay ...	4	Darlington ...	5	Howden-le-Wear	3
Binchester ...	2	Dinnington ...	3	Howdon-on-Tyne	2
Birtley ...	32	Dipton ...	5	Hunwick ...	2
Bishop Auckland ...	52	Dudley ...	7	Irishopeburn ...	1
Bishop Middleham	1	Dunston ...	32	Jarrow ...	9
Blackhall Mill ...	3	Durham ...	18	Kelloe ...	8
Blackhill ...	5	Earsdon ...	5	Kibblesworth ...	1
Blaydon ...	23	Easington ...	10	Kimblesworth ...	2
Blyth ...	33	East Rainton ...	1	Lamesley ...	2
Bowburn ...	2	Edmondsley ...	4	Lanchester ...	1
Brampton ...	1	Eighton Banks ...	1	Langley Moor ...	4
Brancepeth ...	3	Ellington ...	3	Langley Park ...	6
Brandon ...	2	Elsdon ...	1	Leadgate ...	4
Brasside ...	1	Eltringham ...	2	Lemington ...	3
Broomhill ...	9	Embleton... ..	1	Lintz Green ...	2
Burnhope... ..	3	Esh Winning ...	2	Longbenton ...	4
Burnmoor ...	1	Evenwood ...	1	Longframlington	2
Burnopfield ...	20	Fatfield ...	8	Longhorsley ...	2
Burradon ...	8	Fawdon ...	2	Ludworth ...	1
Byers Green ...	2	Felling ...	44	Lynemouth ...	9
Callerton ...	2	Felton ...	1	Marley Hill ...	7
Cambois ...	5	Fence Houses ...	2	Matfen ...	1
Canterbury ...	1	Ferryhill ...	25	Meadowfield ...	1
Carville ...	1	Fishburn ...	2	Middleton-in-Tees-	
Castletown ...	3	Forest Hall ...	13	dale ...	1
Catchgate ...	4	Framwellgate ...	1	Monkseaton ...	11
Chathill ...	1	Frosterley ...	1	Morpeth ...	29
Chatton ...	1	Gateshead ...	201	Murton ...	9
Chester-le-Street...	56	Gosforth ...	51	Netherton ...	4
Chester Moor ...	5	Grange Villa ...	5	Newbiggin ...	27
<i>Carried forward</i>	510	<i>Carried forward</i>	1085	<i>Carried forward</i>	1336

LIST OF DISTRICTS—*Continued.*

DISTRICT.	No.	DISTRICT.	No.	DISTRICT.	No.
<i>Brought forward</i> 1336		<i>Brought forward</i> 1888		<i>Brought forward</i> 2119	
Newbiggin-in-Tees-		Seaham Harbour	2	Tynemouth ...	1
dale ...	2	Seahouses ...	5	Urpeth ...	1
New Brancepeth...	2	Seaton Burn ...	1	Ushaw Moor ...	4
Newburn ...	4	Seaton Delaval ...	9	Usworth ...	6
Newcastle ...	401	Seaton Sluice ...	3	Walbottle ...	2
Newfield ...	2	Seghill ...	3	Waldridge Fell ...	2
New Hartley ...	1	Sherburn Hill ...	4	Wallsend ...	48
New Herrington	2	Shilbottle ...	1	Wardley Colliery	2
New Kyo ...	6	Shildon ...	19	Warkworth ...	2
New Seaham ...	2	Shiney Row ...	4	Washington Station	46
Newsham ...	1	Shiremoor ...	11	Waterhouses ...	2
New Washington	11	Shotley Bridge ...	4	Weardale ...	3
New York ...	4	Shotton ...	8	Wearhead ...	1
Norham ...	1	South Hetton ...	2	West Auckland ...	8
North Seaton ...	1	South Moor ...	11	West Cornforth ...	3
North Shields ...	7	Spennymoor ...	27	Westerhope ...	5
North Walbottle...	1	Spital ...	1	West Hartlepool	3
Otterburn ...	2	Springwell ...	12	Westmoor ...	1
Oxhill ...	1	Stanhope ...	6	West Rainton ...	2
Pegswood...	10	Stanley ...	28	Wheatley Hill ...	6
Pelaw ...	17	Stannington ...	2	Whickham ...	2
Pelton ...	4	Stobswood ...	1	White-le-Head ...	4
Pelton Fell ...	4	Stocksfield ...	7	Whitley Bay ...	18
Penshaw ...	1	Sunderland ...	5	Widdrington ...	3
Pity Me ...	4	Sunnyside ...	5	Wideopen ...	1
Ponteland ...	7	Sussex ...	1	Willington ...	15
Prudhoe ...	9	Swalwell ...	12	Willington Quay...	7
Quarrington Hill	1	Tanfield ...	6	Windy Nook ...	9
Quebec ...	1	Tantobie ...	4	Wingate ...	3
Ravensworth ...	1	Team Colliery ...	3	Winlaton ...	10
Red Row ...	3	Thornaby-on-Tees	2	Witton Gilbert ...	5
Rookhope ...	2	Thornley ...	4	Witton Park ...	2
Rothbury...	2	Throckley ...	4	Wolsingham ...	1
Rowlands Gill ...	5	Tow Law ...	1	Wooler ...	4
Ryton ...	24	Trimdon Grange	6	Wrekenton ...	7
Sacriston ...	5	Tudhoe ...	6	Wylam ...	6
Scremerston ...	1	Tweedmouth ...	1		
<i>Carried forward</i> 1888		<i>Carried forward</i> 2119			2364

SUBSCRIPTIONS AND DONATIONS, 1942

(Subscriptions become due 1st January, each year).

In view of the increased postal rates and shortage of paper, subscribers are earnestly asked to send their subscriptions on receipt of notice that they have become due.

Any change of address should be notified to the House Governor.

					Subscriptions.			Donations.		
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Adamson, The Misses	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Adamson, Miss C....	...	...	...	...	4	0	0	2	0	0
Aitchison, Sir S. H. (deceased)	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Allendale, The Dowager Viscountess	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Anderson, Ltd., Messrs. Alex.	...	...	...	...				20	0	0
Ashington Industrial Co-operative Society Ltd.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Atkinson, Mrs. Buddle	...	...	...	...	1	15	6			
Backworth Club Ltd., The	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Bagnall, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Bainbridge, G. B.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Barclays Bank Ltd.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Barrett, Mrs. Rollo	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Beckingham, Mrs. E. L.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Bede Metal & Chemical Co. Ltd., The	...	...	...	...	5	0	0			
Belfield, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Bell, Lady Morrison	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Benson, Mrs. W. F.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Bernhard Baron Charitable Trust, Ltd.	...	...	...	...				50	0	0
Berry, Mrs. Ewart	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Bicknell, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	2	0	0			
Birtley Co-operative Society Ltd., The	...	...	...	...				2	2	0
Blaydon Urban District Council (Accountants) Dept.)	...	...	...	...				15	0	0
Bolam, Dr. Mason	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Booth, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Brady & Martin Ltd., Messrs.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Brims, Mrs. Charles	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Brims, Mrs. Wilson	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
British Home Stores, The	...	...	...	...				1	1	0
British Oxygen Co. Ltd.	...	...	...	...				1	1	0
Brough, The Joseph, Charitable Trust	...	...	...	...	50	0	0			
Brough, The Joseph, Charitable Trust (Special Donation)	...	...	...	...				25	0	0
Burdon, Mrs. A. E.	...	...	...	...	21	0	0			
Burnopfield District Co-operative Society, The	...	...	...	...				1	1	0
Burn, J. H. Charitable Trust	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Burton, Mrs. W. S. (deceased)	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Carricks Ltd., Caterers, Messrs.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Challoner, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Clothier, Mrs. Mary	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Collecting Boxes at Maternity Hospital	...	...	...	...				3	1	8
Collingwood, Mrs. D.	...	...	...	...	0	10	0			
Collins, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Cruddas, Mrs. B.	...	...	...	...	3	0	0			
Cruddas, Miss	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Currie, Mrs. Douglas	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Dale, Mrs. B.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Dalgliesh, Alderman R. S.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Denville, Alfred, M.P.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Carried forward	...	...	...	...	141	17	6	120	6	8

					Subscriptions.			Donations.		
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Brought forward</i> ...					141	17	6	120	6	8
Deuchar, Mrs. James	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Dick, R. Burns	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Dickinson, Mrs. A. H.	...	...	...	...	2	0	0			
Dixon, Corbett Ltd., Messrs.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Dodds, R. A.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Doig Bros. & Co. Ltd., Messrs.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Ellis, Mrs. Stead	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Elison, Mrs. Carr	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Evers, H. H., F.R.C.S.	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Fenwick, A. J.	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Fenwick, Mrs. C. B.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Fenwick, Mrs. E. A.	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Fenwick, Mrs. E. M.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Fenwick, Mrs. M. L.	...	...	...	...	10	0	0			
Fenwick, Ltd., Messrs.	...	...	...	...	5	0	0			
Fiddian, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Frazer, T. B.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Gair, Mrs. G. H.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Gardner, Mrs. J. A.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Goddard, Canon F. G.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Half Moon Hotel Sports Club	...	...	...	...				2	2	0
Harrison, Mrs. A. J.	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Hawkes, Mrs. C. J.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Hewitt, Mrs. N.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Hilton, Mrs.	...	...	...	...				0	5	0
Horner & Co. Ltd., Messrs. George W.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Houston, J. A.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Humble, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	0	5	0			
Hunter, Mrs. Norman	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Hunter, Lady Summers	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Jackson, Mrs. E. M.	...	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Johnson, Mrs. J. R.	...	...	...	...	6	6	0			
Joicey, Lt.-Col. The Lord	...	...	...	...	8	9	0			
Joicey, Georgina, Lady	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Joicey, The Hon. Angela	...	...	...	...	2	18	0			
Jones, Mrs. Yeats...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Knott, Sir James, Bt., Charities' Trust	...	...	...	...	50	0	0			
Lamb, Mrs. W. R.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Lloyds Bank Ltd.	...	...	...	...	5	5	0			
Lyle, Dr. R. P. Ranken	...	...	...	...	10	10	0			
Lyle, Mrs. R. P. Ranken	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Marks & Spencer, Messrs. Ltd.	...	...	...	...				1	1	0
Maypole Dairy Co. Ltd., The	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Merz, Mrs. Norbert	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Micklem, Mrs. E. R.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Milburn, Mr. and Mrs. A. W.	...	...	...	...	2	18	0			
Milburn, The Frederick Charitable Trust	...	...	...	...				45	0	0
Miller, Dr. G. M.	...	...	...	...	3	3	0			
Morgan, Mrs. A. E.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Mortimer, Lady	...	...	...	...	0	10	0			
Nesham, Miss	...	...	...	...	0	10	6			
Newcastle Breweries, The, Ltd.	...	...	...	...				10	10	0
Newcastle Chronicle Ltd.	...	...	...	...				2	2	0
Newcastle Co operative Society Ltd.	...	...	...	...	9	9	0			
Newcastle and Gateshead Gas Co.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Newcastle and Gateshead Water Co.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
<i>Carried forward</i> ...					335	13	0	181	6	8

						Subscriptions.			Donations.		
						£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Brought forward</i> ...						335	13	0	181	6	8
Newcastle upon Tyne Police Force and Fire Brigade,											
The Chief Constable, Officers and Men of	...					5	0	0			
Newton, S. W.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Northumberland Colliery Mechanics' Mutual Pro-											
tection Association	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Ogilvie, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Oliver, Miss	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Orde, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Orwin, Mrs. J. M.	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Pallister, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Palmer, Mrs. E. A. B.	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Parkinson, Mrs. M.	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Parmeter, T. P.	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Parrish, J. W.	...	...	...	...	...	21	0	0			
Parsons & Co. Ltd., Messrs. C. A.	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	0			
Payments by Patients	...	...	...	...	...				32	18	0
Phillips, Mrs. Bertram	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Piercy, Mrs. Frank	...	...	...	...	...	2	0	0			
Porter, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Prudential Assurance Co. Ltd.	...	...	...	...	...	65	0	0			
Purser, Mrs. Jobling	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	0			
Pybus, Mrs. Kate	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Pybus, Mrs. W. M.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Reid & Co. Ltd., Messrs. W. B.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Renwick, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Reyrolle & Co. Ltd., Messrs. A.	...	...	...	...	...				50	0	0
Richardson, Miss Dorothea	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Richardson, Edward	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Richardson, Mrs. T.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Ridley, The Rt.-Hon. The Viscount	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	0			
Robertson, Daniel	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Robinson, Miss E. J.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Rolls, W. S.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Rowell, Lady	...	...	...	...	...	0	10	6			
Ruxton, Mrs. W. L.	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Scholfield, Mrs. A.	...	...	...	...	...	1	9	0			
Scott, Mrs. William	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Shaw, Mrs. Kennedy	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Shield, E. P.	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Sinclair, The Robert, Tobacco Factory	...	...	...	...	...				10	0	0
Slater, & Co. Ltd., Messrs. William	...	...	...	...	...	3	0	0			
Smith & Co. Ltd., Messrs. James F.	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	0			
Smith, L. E.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Stabler, F. E., F.R.C.S.	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Steel, The Misses	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Stephens, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	...	3	11	0			
Stewart, Miss Catherine	...	...	...	...	...	2	0	0			
Straker, Mrs. E. G.	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Straker, Mrs. M. A. B.	...	...	...	...	...	1	11	0			
Straker-Smith, Mr. and Mrs. T. D.	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Strakers & Love Ltd., Messrs.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Taylor, Miss M.	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Taylor, G. P.	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Thermal Syndicate Ltd., The	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	0			
Thompson, Mrs. Alan	...	...	...	...	...	0	10	0			
<i>Carried forward</i> ...						536	4	6	274	4	8

					Subscriptions.			Donations.		
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	<i>Brought forward</i>	...	...	...	536	4	6	274	4	8
Thompson, Miss A. B.	...	...	...	...	6	6	0			
Thorburn, The Misses	...	...	...	...	0	10	6			
Tully, Mrs. (deceased)	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Turnbull, Mrs. A. M.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
University of Durham, King's College	...	...	...	...	100	0	0			
Vickers Armstrongs Ltd., Messrs.—										
Scotswood and Elswick Works	...	...	...	...				50	0	0
Waller, Mrs. N.	...	...	...	...	4	4	0			
Ward, Mrs. P. F.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Watson, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	0	10	6			
Webster, Mrs. O.B.E.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Welch, Mrs. C. M.	...	...	...	...	0	10	6			
White, Mrs. Albert	...	...	...	...	5	0	0			
Whitelaw (Newcastle) Ltd., Messrs. Robert	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Wilkinson, Miss B.	...	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Wilkinson, Mrs. Drew	...	...	...	...	3	11	0			
Willan, Mrs.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Woolworth & Co. Ltd., Messrs. F. H.—										
Clayton Street	...	...	...	...				2	0	0
Northumberland Street	...	...	...	...				2	2	0
Young, Messrs. Charley Ltd.	...	...	...	...	21	0	0			
Young, T. D.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0			
Anonymous	...	...	...	...				7	10	0
					£692	11	0	£335	16	8
<i>Add extra payment from Income Tax Authorities for</i>										
year ended 31st December, 1941						1	12	3		
					£694	3	3	£335	16	8

SPECIAL FURNISHING ACCOUNT

	£	s.	d.
Balance at 1st January, 1942	3,552	11	4
Interest on 3% Defence Bonds	30	0	0
Interest on 2½% National War Bonds	31	5	0
Legacy—Miss Eliza Wight	150	0	0
Legacy—Mrs. E. A. Clark	500	0	0
Interest allowed on Account	30	14	5
BALANCE AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1942	£4,294	10	9

The House Governor would be glad to receive from present subscribers and donors the names and addresses of anyone whom they think would be interested in the work of the Hospital and would be willing to contribute to the Special Hospital Furnishing Account.

LOCAL AUTHORITIES, 1942

	£	s.	d.
Ashington U.D.C.	75	0	0
Blyth, Borough of	63	0	0
Bedlington U.D.C.	24	14	3
Durham County Council	750	0	0
Gateshead, County Borough of	500	0	0
Gosforth U.D.C.	12	18	6
Jarrow, Borough of	60	0	0
Newburn U.D.C.	59	7	6
Carried forward	1,545	0	3

							£	s.	d.
				<i>Brought forward</i>	...	...	1,545	0	3
Newcastle Corporation	...	...	...	....	...	...	1,600	0	0
Northumberland County Council			...	...	...	...	474	5	3
Wallsend, Borough of	...	...	...	...	...	...	80	0	0
							<hr/> £3,699	5	6

WORKMEN'S CONTRIBUTIONS, 1942

	£	s.	d.
Backworth Industrial Co-operative Society Ltd., Charity Fund	5	0	0
Bede Metal & Chemical Co. Ltd.—Workmen's Charity Fund	7	0	0
Blyth Co-operative Benevolent Society Ltd.	2	0	0
British Oxygen Co. Ltd.—Staff and Workers	3	3	0
British Paints Ltd.	2	2	0
Dunston Staithes—Workers' Medical Charities' Fund	7	0	0
Durham Miners' Association—Addison Colliery	3	10	0
Durham Miners' Association—Heworth Lodge	2	2	0
Falconer Cross & Co. Ltd.—Workmen's Hospital Fund ...	2	10	0
Frazer & Co., Messrs. Robert	3	15	0
Gateshead Co-operative Society Ltd.—Employees' Medical Charities' Fund	2	0	0
Gateshead and District Tramways—Central Benevolent and Charities' Fund	2	2	0
Hedley & Co. Ltd., Messrs. Thomas—Employees' Benevolent Fund	10	0	0
Jackson & Co. Ltd., Messrs. M., Gateshead, Model Tailoring Workshops—Workpeople's Medical Fund	5	0	0
L.N.E. Rly., Blaydon Staff, Forth, Heaton, Trafalgar Guards' and Shunters' Hospital Fund	3	0	0
L.N.E. Rly., North Blyth Workmen's Medical Charity Fund...	2	0	0
Metal Box Co. Ltd., The	8	8	0
Murton Mining Federation	5	0	0
Newcastle upon Tyne Co-operative Society Ltd.—Employees' Charity Fund	20	0	0
Newcastle upon Tyne Transport—Employees' Medical Charity Fund	30	0	0
Newcastle and District Post Office—Medical Charity Fund ...	5	5	0
Newcastle and Gateshead Gas Co., Distribution Dept—Welfare Club	9	0	0
Newcastle and Gateshead Gas Co.—Workmen of St. Anthony's Works	3	0	0
Northumberland Colliery Mechanics' Association, Ashington Branch	20	0	0
Norwood Coke Works, Priestman's Collieries Ltd.—The Workmen of	6	1	1
Parsons & Co. Ltd., Messrs. C. A.—Heaton Works Medical Fund	10	0	0
Ringtons' Ltd., Messrs.—Employees' Charity Fund	10	10	0
Scottish Union National Insurance Co. Ltd.—Staff Collection...	2	2	0
Spencer & Co. Ltd., Messrs. John	5	0	0
Thermal Syndicate Ltd.—Employees' Medical Charity Fund	3	0	0
Vickers-Armstrongs Ltd., Messrs.—Employee's Medical Charity Fund	20	0	0
Vickers-Armstrongs Ltd., Messrs.—Employees' Medical Charity Fund (Special Donation)	60	0	0
Vickers-Armstrongs Ltd., Messrs.—Naval Ordnance Department	5	0	0
	£284	10	1

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS

AS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1942

DESCRIPTION OF STOCK.	NOMINAL VALUE.	COST PRICE.	MARKET VALUE AT 28TH DEC., 1942.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
3½% Conversion Loan, Registered	132 15 0	91 5 0	141 14 2
3½% Conversion Loan, Inscribed	4,829 8 0	4,795 0 0	5,155 7 8
5% Conversion Loan, Inscribed	1,524 0 7	1,523 4 0	1,583 1 8
4% Funding Loan, 1960-90 Inscribed	1,272 15 0	976 16 0	1,444 11 5
3% Local Loans, Inscribed Stock	831 10 4	500 0 0	806 11 5
3½% War Loan, Inscribed Stock	473 0 11	500 0 0	496 14 0
3% Savings Bonds, 1955-65	100 0 0	100 0 0	101 5 0
London & North Eastern Railway Co.— 4% 2nd Guaranteed Stock	403 0 0	547 18 11	358 13 5
London & North Eastern Railway Co.— 4% 1st Preference Stock	403 0 0		245 16 8
Consett Iron Co.— 8% Preference Stock...	45 0 0	55 2 6	65 5 0
Consett Iron Co. Ltd. Stock 36 Ordinary Shares ...	12 0 0	13 4 0	12 12 0
	£10,026 9 10	£9,102 10 5	£10,411 12 5

FURNISHING ACCOUNT INVESTMENTS

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
3% Defence Bonds, Post Office Issue	1,000 0 0	1,000 0 0	1,000 0 0
2½% National War Bonds 1945-47	2,500 0 0	2,500 0 0	2,528 2 6
	£3,500 0 0	£3,500 0 0	£3,528 2 6

Verified by production of Certificate of Safe Custody from Lloyds Bank Limited, Trustee Department.

HOLMES, DUDLEY & CO.

29TH APRIL, 1943.

Chartered Accountants.

INCOME AND

Year ended

1941.	EXPENDITURE.			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
£	s.	d.	PROVISIONS—						
1,731	15	8	Groceries, etc. ...	...	...	1,567	17	9	
737	18	10	Meat, etc. ...	...	...	771	5	5	
							2,339	3	2
£2,469	14	6							
			DOMESTIC—						
675	8	1	Furnishings, Repairs and Renewals ...	...	...	851	9	11	
673	1	4	Fuel ...	...	...	717	10	11	
707	18	9	Gas and Electricity ...	...	...	750	5	8	
97	6	10	Water ...	...	...	95	18	8	
372	4	10	Laundry, Cleaning and Sundry Household Expenses ...	...	...	307	18	4	
							2,723	3	6
£2,525	19	10							
£4,706	7	8	SALARIES AND WAGES ...	...	...		4,912	5	1
340	16	10	SALARIES OF PUPIL MIDWIVES ...	...	...		733	3	10
258	18	9	RENT, RATES AND INSURANCE ...	...	...		251	6	0
920	14	4	MEDICAL AND SURGICAL REQUISITES ...	...	...		1,125	16	5
170	18	3	REPAIRS TO PROPERTY ...	...	...		186	1	6
			MISCELLANEOUS—						
150	5	2	Printing, Advertising and Stationery ...	...	...	217	7	2	
136	18	1	Postages, Telegrams and Telephone ...	...	...	144	13	0	
196	18	11	National Insurance ...	...	...	233	15	9	
115	10	2	Hire of Ambulances and Travelling Expenses ...	...	...	116	14	0	
37	9	0	Bank Charges ...	...	...	88	11	11	
72	0	8	Sundry Expenses ...	...	...	63	7	8	
							864	9	6
£709	2	0							
239	10	8	THE FEDERATED SUPERANNUATION SCHEME FOR NURSES AND HOSPITAL OFFICERS...				141	11	6
£12,342	2	10							
							£13,277	0	6
1,446	17	8	BALANCE, brought down ...	...	...		490	4	9
			SPECIAL WAR-TIME EXPENDITURE—						
943	11	2	Rents, A.R.P., War Damage Insurance, etc.				936	3	8
90	5	4	LEGACY, GRANT AND INTEREST, <i>per contra</i> , transferred to Special Furnishings Fund				741	19	5
							£2,168	7	10
£2,480	14	2							

We have checked the above Statement with
 certify that it agrees therewith. The Investments
 Trustees, and the Bank's certificate of safe custody

10, MOSLEY STREET,
 NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE.
 29th April, 1942.

EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

31st December, 1942.

1941.	INCOME.			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
£	s.	d.							
715	15	6	SUBSCRIPTIONS, AS PER LIST ...	694	3	3			
248	4	11	DONATIONS, AS PER LIST ...	335	16	8			
253	14	9	WORKMEN'S CONTRIBUTIONS, AS PER LIST	284	10	1			
<u>£1,217 15 2</u>							1,314	10	0
85	0	0	HOSPITAL SUNDAY FUND ...				105	0	0
73	6	0	PROCEEDS OF BIRTHDAY RECEPTION ...				86	14	6
5	0	0	LEAGUE OF MERCY ...				5	0	0
644	11	0	STUDENTS' AND NURSES' PAYMENTS ...				792	6	0
MAINTENANCE OF PATIENTS—									
4,120	6	7	Payments by Patients ...	4,938	1	11			
3,608	2	1	Contributions from Local Authorities...	3,699	5	6			
							8,637	7	5
<u>7,728 8 8</u>									
MINISTRY OF HEALTH—									
525	0	0	Grant for Training of Pupil Midwives...				1,103	14	8
NEWCASTLE CORPORATION—									
228	19	3	Grant under Local Governm't Act, 1929				228	19	3
—	—	—	STATE GRANT TOWARDS NURSING SALARIES				106	3	4
216	16	1	INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS ...	202	6	2			
156	3	11	INCOME TAX RECOVERED TO 31ST DE- CEMBER, 1941 ...	195	14	5			
							398	0	7
<u>373 0 0</u>									
14	5	1	SUNDRY RECEIPTS ...				9	0	0
1,446	17	8	BALANCE, being Excess of Ordinary Expenditure over Ordinary Income, carried down ...				490	4	9
<u>£12,342 2 10</u>							£13,277	0	6
130	0	0	GRANT FROM NORTH EASTERN REGIONAL HOSPITALS ADVISORY COUNCIL—						
—	—	—	Legacy from the late Mrs. E. A. Clark	500	0	0			
GRANT FROM THE ESTATE OF—									
—	—	—	Mrs. Eliza Wight, deceased ...	150	0	0			
90	5	4	BANK AND OTHER INTEREST ...	91	19	5			
							741	19	5
2,260	8	10	BALANCE, deficit carried to Capital Account				1,426	8	5
<u>£2,480 14 2</u>							£2,168	7	10

the books and vouchers of the Hospital and we are in the name of Lloyds Bank Limited, as has been produced to us.

HOLMES, DUDLEY & Co.,
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS,
Honorary Auditors.

LIFE GOVERNORS

ALLENDALÉ, THE RT. HON. THE
VISCOUNT

AYRE, PHILIP

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BURDON, MRS. A. E.

CHAPMAN, MRS. FRANK

CLUEIT, G.

CRAIG, R. T. G.

DEAGLE, MISS M. K.

DODD, MISS MOLLIE

DODDS, R. A.

FOLEY, J. N.

GALE, W. S.

GOOD, DR. W. R. S.

GRAY, R. J.

HARDING, T. E.

HENDERSON, CAPT. S. C.

HILL, MRS. COWAN

HOUSTON, B. D.

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KING, W. H.

LAMBERT, LADY A. W.

LISTER, C. G.

LYLE, DR. R. P. RANKEN.

LYLE, MRS. RANKEN.

MACKINLAY, G. I.

MCKEON, J. A.

MILBURN, W.

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O'CONNOR, A.

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SPENCE, R., B.Sc.

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THOMPSON, J. T.

WARDILL, T. E. M.

WATSON, ANGUS

WATT, F. G.

WILTHEW, G. A., B.Sc.

WRIGHT, MRS. S. T.

YOUNG, W.

BENEFACTORS OF THE HOSPITAL IN SUMS OF £25 AND UPWARDS

				£	s.	d.
1938—	Bernhard Baron Charitable Trust, The	...	...	50	0	0
„	Burdon, Mrs. A. E., Dinner Dance	...	...	103	14	7
„	Clarke, Mrs. E. A.	...	...	100	0	0
„	Lyle, Mrs. Ranken, 10th Young People's Dance	...	...	105	0	0
„	Milburn Charitable Trust, The Frederick	...	...	50	0	0
„	Milburn, Wm., Part Proceeds of Quayside Sweep for the Northumberland Plate	...	...	35	0	0
„	Newcastle Rose Day, Street Collection	...	...	35	0	0
„	Potts, Miss Nellie, Dancing Matinee	...	...	72	18	6
„	Reyrolle & Co. Ltd., Messrs. A.	...	...	25	0	0
„	Thompson, J. T.	...	...	50	0	0
„	Vickers-Armstrongs Ltd., Messrs., Employees' Medical Fund (Special Donation)	...	...	40	0	0
1939—	Bernhard Baron Charitable Trust, The	...	...	50	0	0
„	Clark, Mrs. E. A.	...	...	50	0	0
„	Lyle, Mrs. Ranken, 11th Young People's Dance	...	...	87	10	0
„	Milburn Charitable Trust, The Frederick	...	...	50	0	0
„	Milburn, Wm., Part Proceeds of Quayside Sweep for the Northumberland Plate	...	...	35	0	0
„	Reyrolle & Co. Ltd., Messrs. A.	...	...	50	0	0
„	Vickers-Armstrongs Ltd., Messrs., Elswick and Scotswood Works	...	...	60	0	0
„	Vickers-Armstrongs Ltd., Messrs., Employees' Medical Fund (Special Donation)	...	...	60	0	0
1940—	Bernhard Baron Charitable Trust, The	...	...	50	0	0
„	Clarke, Mrs. A. E.	...	...	50	0	0
„	Milburn, The Frederick, Charitable Trust	...	...	50	0	0
„	Reyrolle & Co. Ltd., Messrs. A.	...	...	50	0	0
„	Vickers-Armstrongs Ltd., Messrs. (Elswick and Scotswood Works)	...	...	60	0	0
„	Vickers-Armstrongs Ltd., Messrs., Employees' Medical Fund (Special Donation)	...	...	60	0	0
1941—	Bernhard Baron Charitable Trust, The	...	...	50	0	0
„	Milburn, The Frederick, Charitable Trust	...	...	45	0	0
„	North Eastern Regional Hospital Advisory Council	...	...	130	0	0
„	Reyrolle & Co. Ltd., Messrs. A.	...	...	50	0	0
„	Vickers-Armstrongs Ltd., Messrs. (Elswick and Scotswood Works)	...	...	50	0	0
„	Vickers-Armstrongs Ltd., Messrs., Employees' Medical Fund (Special Donation)	...	...	60	0	0
1942—	Bernhard Baron Charitable Trust, The	...	...	50	0	0
„	Brough, The Joseph, Charitable Trust	...	...	25	0	0
„	Milburn, The Frederick, Charitable Trust	...	...	45	0	0
„	Reyrolle & Co. Ltd., Messrs. A.	...	...	50	0	0
„	Vickers-Armstrongs Ltd., Messrs. (Elswick and Scotswood Works)	...	...	50	0	0
„	Vickers-Armstrongs Ltd., Messrs., Employees' Medical Fund (Special Donation)	...	...	60	0	0

R U L E S

(REVISED 1932)

- Title.** 1.—This Institution (hereinafter referred to as "The Hospital") shall be known as "THE PRINCESS MARY MATERNITY HOSPITAL, NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE."
- Object.** 2.—The objects of the Hospital are to provide the necessary care and attendance in Maternity and Child Welfare cases, the training of Medical Students and Midwives and anything incidental thereto.
- Governors.** 3.—Subscribers of two guineas or more per annum shall be Governors during the continuance of their subscriptions. Donors of twenty-five guineas or more at one time shall be Governors for life. Any person making a collection of £250 or upwards shall become a Governor for life. Any person bequeathing a Legacy of £250 or upwards may, by will, nominate a Life Governor, or if no such nomination be made the executor or executors of such person may appoint a Life Governor. The Honorary Consulting Medical Officers and the Honorary Obstetric Physicians of the Hospital shall be *ex-officio* Governors.
- Due date of Subscriptions.** 4.—Each annual subscription shall become due on the 1st of January in advance, and each subscriber shall be considered as agreeing to continue his subscription unless he has given notice to the contrary in writing to the Treasurer or Secretary of the Hospital, before the 31st of January.
- Annual Court of Governors.** 5.—A General Court of Governors shall be held annually to receive the reports of the Committee of Management, and of the Medical Staff, also the audited Accounts for the past year; to elect the Officers for the ensuing year; to elect 18 Governors on the Committee of Management; and generally to transact the business of the Hospital. Seven clear days' notice of an annual court shall be sent by post to each Governor.
- Special Court of Governors.** 6.—A Special Court of Governors shall be summoned at any time by the Honorary Secretary, when required by the Committee of Management, or at the request of any six Governors; and the notice of such Special Court shall specify the business to be transacted, and shall be sent by post to each Governor seven clear days before the Court.
- Voting.** 7.—All questions at Annual and Special Courts shall be decided by a majority of the votes of the Governors, present in person, and each Governor shall have one vote, and in case of equality of votes, the Chairman shall have a casting vote. A Governor shall not become entitled to vote until six months after the payment of his or her first subscription. No vote shall be cast by any Governor whose subscription is more than six months in arrear.
- Officers.** 8.—The Officers of the Hospital shall consist of a President; two or more Vice-Presidents (one of whom shall be the Lord Mayor of Newcastle upon Tyne for the time being); an Honorary Chaplain; an Honorary Treasurer; an Honorary Secretary, and such other Officers as the Governors may from time to time choose to appoint.

Committee
of
Management

9.—There shall be a Committee of Management, which shall consist of the President, Vice-Presidents, the Honorary Consulting Medical Officers, the Honorary Obstetric Physicians, the Honorary Chaplain, the Honorary Treasurer, the Honorary Secretary, two representatives of King's College, Newcastle upon Tyne, of whom the Dean of Medicine (for the time being) shall be one, four representatives of the Corporation of Newcastle upon Tyne (elected by and out of the Maternity and Child Welfare Committee of the said Corporation), two representatives of the Gateshead Borough Council, two representatives of the Northumberland County Council, two representatives of the Durham County Council, and eighteen Governors of whom, not more than twelve shall be Ladies (and shall constitute the Ladies' Committee as hereinafter mentioned), and one member representing the Workmen's Medical Charities Funds which contribute to the Hospital. Five shall form a quorum.

Management
Committee
Determina-
tion of
Membership.

10.—Any one of the 18 Governors who is absent from all meetings of the Hospital for one calendar year, shall thereby cease to be a Member of the Committee of Management, but will be eligible for re-election at the next Annual Court.

Management
Committee
Powers and
Duties.

11.—The Committee of Management which shall have full executive control of the Hospital, shall meet monthly on a date and time to be agreed upon by them, and at their first meeting after the Annual Court in each year, shall appoint a Chairman and a Vice-Chairman for the ensuing year: they shall also appoint at that meeting six members of the Committee of Management, including the Chairman of the Ladies' Committee, to act as a Finance Committee for the ensuing year.

Ladies'
Committee.

12.—The Ladies' Committee shall, subject to the control of the Committee of Management, have the direction of all the household arrangements: They shall appoint one of their number to act as Chairman; shall meet at such times as may be necessary, and keep minutes of their meetings for submission to the Committee of Management.

Finance
Committee.

13.—The Finance Committee shall meet monthly and at their first meeting after appointment each year, shall elect a Chairman. They shall have presented to them by the Treasurer each month a statement of the finances of the Hospital, and shall examine all accounts for payment prior to submission to the Committee of Management whose authority must be obtained before payment is made. They shall also receive the annual statement of accounts of the Sewing Guild and of the Linen Guild.

Vacancies.

14.—Vacancies in any of the Offices of the Hospital may be filled by the Committee of Management and shall be confirmed at the Annual or a Special Court of Governors.

Honorary
Treasurer.

15.—The Honorary Treasurer shall receive all sums of money paid for the use of the Hospital, he shall make all disbursements sanctioned by the Committee of Management and shall furnish a statement of accounts to the Committee of Management as soon as possible after the 31st of December in each year and at such other times as the Committee shall require.

Honorary
Secretary.

16.—The Honorary Secretary shall summon all meetings of the Governors and the Committee of Management and shall cause their proceedings to be entered in proper minute books.

Annual
Report.

17.—A Report shall be presented by the Committee of Management to the Annual Court of Governors, and shall contain a list of the Governors and subscribers with their donations and subscriptions, a list of any vacancies in the offices of the Hospital, and the names of any persons nominated to fill the same; an abstract of the Treasurer's accounts, and a return of the patients treated.

By-Laws.

18.—The Committee of Management shall have power, from time to time, to make By-Laws for the regulation of the Hospital so long as they are not inconsistent with the rules for the time being.

Academic
Control.

19.—The academic control of the Hospital shall be vested in the University of Durham College of Medicine, in so far as it relates to the medical training of students of the College and scientific research.

Trustees.

20.—The Committee of Management shall have power by resolution to nominate a Trustee or Trustees in whose name or under whose control the funds and investments belonging to or held in trust for the Hospital shall be vested, and may nominate a Bank or other Corporation to be such Trustee, and any Bank or Corporation so nominated shall be responsible only for the safe custody of the investments entrusted to and accepted by it, and shall deal with the capital and income of such investments in such manner as the Committee of Management may by resolution from time to time direct. And any such Bank or Corporation so nominated shall not be in any way responsible for the application of the Capital or income of such investments, or be held liable for any loss arising during the period for which they are held, notwithstanding that they may not be authorised trustee investments.

Medical
Qualification.

21.—Every candidate for any medical appointment shall be a duly qualified registered medical practitioner.

Honorary
Medical Staff.

22.—The Honorary Medical Officers shall consist of :—

- (a) The Honorary Obstetric Officers namely, three Obstetric Physicians, three Assistant Obstetric Physicians and one Obstetric Registrar.
- (b) One Pathologist and one Bacteriologist.
- (c) One Physician, one Surgeon, one Ophthalmologist, one Pediatric Physician, one Assistant Pediatric Physician, one Maternity and Child Welfare Physician, and one Dental Surgeon.

Appointment
of Honorary
Medical
Officers.

23.—All the Honorary Medical Officers of the Hospital shall be appointed by the Council of the College of Medicine.

Consulting
Staff.

24.—The Committee of Management may appoint such Honorary Medical Officers as attain the age of 60 years to be Honorary Consulting Medical Officers of the Hospital.

Alteration
of Rules.

25.—None of these Rules shall be altered or repealed save at an Annual or Special Court of Governors called by proper notice, which shall clearly indicate the alterations to be made.

